

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 98-385-E)

PATENT

In re Application of: Hauptmann et al.)
Serial No.: 09/525,998)
Filed: March 15, 2000)
For: TNF Receptors, TNF Binding)
Proteins and DNAs Coding For Them)

Before the Examiner: E. O'Hara
Group Art Unit: 1646

Mail Stop Amendment
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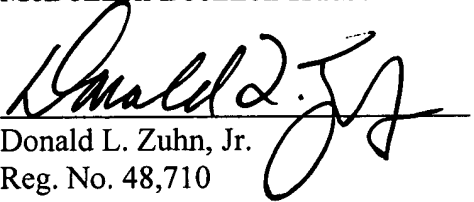
Sir:

PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant requests a One-Month Extension of Time to respond to the Official Action mailed January 28, 2005. A check in the amount of \$120.00 for an Extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1), is attached. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,
McDonnell Boehnen Hulbert & Berghoff

Dated: May 13, 2005

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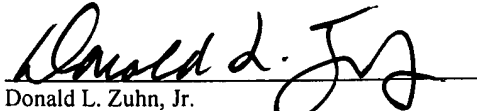
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